

Sample 3000 Internet Using Adults (18+)
 Conducted June 25 – July 08, 2021
 Margin of Error ±2%

1. How satisfied are you with your...? A - Completely dissatisfied; B - Somewhat dissatisfied; C - Neutral/Don't know; D - Somewhat satisfied; E - Completely satisfied; F - Not applicable; G - Total Dissatisfied; H - Total Satisfied

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
Job	5%	8%	10%	21%	15%	41%	13%	36%
Family	5%	8%	10%	29%	47%	2%	12%	76%
Life	6%	13%	11%	41%	28%	1%	19%	68%
Community	6%	13%	19%	38%	21%	3%	19%	59%

2. At any point in the last two years, have you thought that your marriage or relationship was in trouble?

Asked of people who have been in a relationship or married for 2 years or more

Yes28%
 No72%

3. Would you say that your marriage or relationship is stronger, weaker or about the same as two years ago?

Asked of people who have been in a relationship or married for 2 years or more

Stronger43%
 About the same48%
 Weaker7%
 Don't know2%

4. Turning to marriage generally, do you feel that marriages in the United States are stronger, weaker, or about the same as two years ago?

Stronger6%
 About the same39%
 Weaker33%
 Don't know21%

5. How much do you agree or disagree with the following: A - Strongly disagree; B - Disagree; C - Somewhat disagree; D - Neither agree nor disagree; E - Somewhat agree; F - Agree; G - Strongly agree; H - Total Disagree; I - Total Agree

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
When more people are married, society is better off.	7%	7%	7%	35%	14%	14%	18%	20%	45%
Marriage is more of a burden than a benefit to couples.	26%	22%	14%	25%	7%	3%	3%	62%	13%
Marriage is needed in order to create strong families.	11%	10%	9%	18%	15%	15%	23%	29%	52%
Being legally married is not as important as having a personal sense of commitment to your partner.	11%	10%	10%	21%	16%	16%	16%	31%	48%
Marriage is old-fashioned and out-of-date.	35%	18%	12%	17%	10%	5%	4%	64%	19%
Marriage makes families and children better off financially.	4%	4%	6%	28%	20%	19%	20%	14%	58%
Marriage is for life, come what may.	8%	8%	10%	20%	17%	18%	19%	25%	54%

6. Would you say that your family relationships are stronger, weaker, or about the same as two years ago?

Stronger	28%
About the same	53%
Weaker	12%
Don't know	7%

7. Turning to families generally, do you feel that family relationships in the United States are stronger, weaker, or about the same as two years ago?

Stronger	10%
About the same	39%
Weaker	30%
Don't know	21%

8. What are the most important issues facing families today? Pick up to three items.

Family issues - Work demands	27%
Family issues - Lack of programs	15%
Family issues - Costs	36%
Family issues - Lack of jobs	16%
Family issues - Decline in faith	23%
Family issues - Sexual permissiveness	13%
Family issues - Drugs/alcohol	14%
Family issues - Crime	14%
Family issues - Definition of marriage	13%
Family issues - Parents not teaching/disciplining	40%
Family issues - Single-parent homes	27%
Family issues - Digital age	16%
Family issues - Other	3%

9. What are the most important issues facing families today? Pick up to three items.

Asked of a random half-sample of respondents

Family issues - Covid pandemic	17%
Family issues - Racial inequality	16%

10. How much do you agree or disagree with the following: A - Strongly disagree; B - Disagree; C - Somewhat disagree; D - Neither agree nor disagree; E - Somewhat agree; F - Agree; G - Strongly agree; H - Total Disagree; I - Total Agree

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
The cost of raising a child/children is affordable for most people	18%	19%	18%	21%	13%	8%	3%	54%	25%
Children are better off if they have two married parents	7%	7%	6%	22%	15%	15%	26%	20%	57%
It is sometimes necessary to discipline a child with a good, hard spanking	16%	10%	9%	19%	17%	16%	14%	35%	47%
It is important for parents to pass on their political values to their children	13%	15%	12%	34%	12%	8%	6%	40%	26%
Parents should set boundaries on media consumption for their children	1%	1%	2%	11%	20%	30%	35%	4%	85%
Children need both a male and a female role model in the home	12%	9%	6%	16%	13%	15%	30%	26%	58%
Raising children is one of life's greatest joys	4%	3%	3%	22%	17%	23%	28%	10%	68%
It's morally wrong to have a child outside of marriage	25%	16%	8%	24%	11%	8%	9%	49%	28%

11. Do you personally hope or desire to marry in the future?

Asked of respondents who are not married

Yes	38%
No	37%
Not sure	25%

12. Since the coronavirus pandemic began in March of 2020, has your desire to marry increased, decreased, or stayed the same?

Asked of respondents who are not married

Increased	10%
Decreased	8%
Stayed the same	73%
Don't know	8%

13. Do you personally hope or desire to have a child someday?

Asked of respondents without children under the age of 50.

Yes	39%
No	30%
It depends	21%
Don't know	10%

14. Since the coronavirus pandemic began in March of 2020, has your desire to have children increased, decreased, or stayed the same?

Asked of respondents without children under the age of 50.

Increased	12%
Decreased	15%
Stayed the same	63%
Don't know	10%

15. How do you provide care for your children during the work day? Check all that apply.

Asked of respondents with children under the age of 12 living at home.

Childcare during work day - Self/spouse	70%
Childcare during work day - Extended family	27%
Childcare during work day - Friends	7%
Childcare during work day - Sitter/nanny	7%
Childcare during work day - Daycare/nursery	13%
Childcare during work day - Older siblings	9%

16. Do you consider yourself to be:

Heterosexual or straight	88%
Gay or lesbian	4%
Bisexual	6%
Other	3%

17. Have you been unemployed in the past 2 years?

Yes	49%
No	51%

18. Is your spouse or partner a man or a woman?

Asked of people who are married or in a relationship

Man	53%
Woman	47%

19. How many hours per week do you typically work?

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20. How many hours per week does your spouse or partner typically work?

Asked of people who are married or in a relationship

mean	25
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21. Has your spouse or partner been unemployed in the past 2 years?

Asked of people who are married or in a relationship

Yes	38%
No	62%

22. What was your employment situation immediately before the COVID-19 pandemic started in March 2020?

Working full time	38%
Working part time	12%
Temporarily laid off	1%
Unemployed	8%
Retired	20%
On leave (maternity, paternity, etc.)	0%
Permanently disabled	8%
Taking care of home or family	7%
Student, not currently working	6%

23. Which of the following best describes your current employment status?

Working full time	35%
Working part time	12%
Temporarily laid off	1%
Unemployed	10%
Retired	21%
On leave (maternity, paternity, etc.)	0%
Permanently disabled	8%
Taking care of home or family	7%
Student, not currently working	5%

24. Did any of the following situations arise for you or your spouse after the beginning of the pandemic in March of 2020? Check all that apply. A - Temp laid off; B - Permanently let go; C - Loss of income; D - Hours reduced; E - Retired; F - Paid leave; G - Unpaid leave; H - Quit; I - Promotion; J - Pay increase; K - New job; L - None of the above

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
Self	13%	6%	15%	10%	6%	3%	3%	3%	3%	10%	9%	59%
Spouse or partner	13%	5%	15%	10%	7%	4%	2%	3%	5%	9%	8%	56%

25. Which of the following best describes the current employment status of your spouse or partner?

Working full time	45%
Working part time	10%
Temporarily laid off	1%
Unemployed	6%
Retired	22%
On leave (maternity, paternity, etc.)	0%
Permanently disabled	6%
Taking care of home or family	8%
Student, not currently working	2%

26. Why did you [take leave|leave your position|take leave and leave your position]? Check all that apply.
Asked of those who quit their job or took paid or unpaid leave from their job.

Leave/quit reason - Care for child	16%
Leave/quit reason - Care for adult	16%
Leave/quit reason - Another reason	73%

27. How do you feel about each of the following aspects of your life?

	Very positive	Somewhat positive	Neither positive nor negative	Somewhat negative	Very negative	Total Positive	Total Negative
Your career prospects or trajectory	17%	20%	46%	9%	8%	38%	17%
Your mental health	27%	31%	23%	14%	6%	57%	20%
Your work-life balance	19%	24%	44%	8%	5%	43%	13%

28. Which of these comes closest to your preference?

I would like to work more hours than I did before the pandemic	15%
I would like to work fewer hours than I did before the pandemic	22%
I would like to work the same number of hours as I did before the pandemic	62%

29. Did you or your family receive any of the following aid from federal or state programs this past year?

	Yes	No	I don't know
Federal stimulus checks	84%	12%	4%
Child tax credit	14%	77%	9%

30. What did you spend the aid you received on? Please estimate percentages.

Asked of those who received federal stimulus checks or child tax credit

Savings / investment	29
Household costs (food, bills, etc.)	36
Rent / mortgage	12
Entertainment / travel / retail purchases	9
Donate to others	3
Other	11

31. Did you need the aid from the federal government in order to get by during the pandemic?

Asked of those who received federal stimulus checks or child tax credit

Yes, I needed it	52%
No, I did not need it	48%

32. How much did the federal government aid help you and your family?

Asked of those who said they needed the aid to get by

Helped a lot	55%
Helped some	33%
Helped a little	12%

33. In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following because there wasn't enough money? *Check all that apply.*

Not enough money - Not eat	7%
Not enough money - Not pay full bill	12%
Not enough money - Borrow or receive money	11%
Not enough money - Move in with others	4%
Not enough money - Stay at shelter	2%
Not enough money - Not see doctor	11%
Not enough money - None of the above	73%

34. In the past 12 months, did you do any of the following? *Check all that apply.*

Past 12 months - Bought house	4%
Past 12 months - Bought second house	1%
Past 12 months - Bought car	13%
Past 12 months - Bought appliance	12%
Past 12 months - Renovations	11%
Past 12 months - None of the above	69%

35. If you were to lose your job, about how long would you be able to live off your savings without going into debt?

Less than a month	29%
1 to 3 months	23%
3 to 6 months	14%
6 or more months	34%

36. Has your financial situation gotten worse, better, or stayed the same since the coronavirus outbreak began in March of 2020?

It got worse	22%
It stayed the same	61%
It got better	17%

37. How worried are you that each of the following will affect your family finances in the coming year?

	Very worried	Somewhat worried	Not worried
Inflation	39%	41%	20%
National Debt	30%	37%	33%
Unemployment	18%	32%	50%
Lack of government assistance	19%	28%	53%

38. For each time frame, please indicate the percentage of your work that you did from home or remotely (outside the workplace) during an average work week:

Asked of those who are employed

Prior to March 2020	25
Since March 2020	44

39. How concerned are you about the effect of the COVID-19 pandemic on the following aspects of your career:

	Very concerned	Somewhat concerned	Not very concerned	Not at all concerned
Your earning potential	14%	25%	23%	39%
Your long-term career goals	13%	22%	23%	42%
Your opportunities for advancement	14%	18%	24%	44%
Your work-life balance	12%	21%	25%	42%
Your retirement savings	22%	26%	21%	32%

40. How important are each of the following work benefits to you?

	Very important	Somewhat important	Not too important	Not at all important
Flexible work hours	39%	28%	9%	24%
Part time work options	24%	24%	18%	34%
Remote work options	27%	22%	16%	35%
Paid leave programs	28%	25%	15%	32%
Childcare assistance	13%	15%	14%	58%
Mental health resources	24%	25%	17%	35%

41. At this point in your life, which of the following would be best for you personally?

Working full-time for pay	39%
Working part-time for pay	23%
Not working for pay	23%
Don't know	16%

42. How does being a working parent affect your ability to be a good parent?

Asked of all parents who work full or part time

Makes it easier	13%
Makes it harder	32%
Hasn't made a difference	56%

43. How does being a working parent affect your ability to advance in your job or career?

Asked of all parents who work full or part time

Makes it easier	10%
Makes it harder	25%
Hasn't made a difference	65%

44. Since the coronavirus pandemic began in March, many households have found there is more to do around the house and that households are dividing up that additional work differently. Indicate what percent of the following tasks each person is doing right now, making the total indicated on each row 100%. - Household rent and bills

Asked of participants who are married or living with a partner and/or participants with children, as applicable

Myself	57
My spouse/partner	46
My child(ren)	3

45. Since the coronavirus pandemic began in March, many households have found there is more to do around the house and that households are dividing up that additional work differently. Indicate what percent of the following tasks each person is doing right now, making the total indicated on each row 100%. - Housework and other household chores

Asked of participants who are married or living with a partner and/or participants with children, as applicable

Myself	59
My spouse/partner	40
My child(ren)	11

46. Since the coronavirus pandemic began in March, many households have found there is more to do around the house and that households are dividing up that additional work differently. Indicate what percent of the following tasks each person is doing right now, making the total indicated on each row 100%. - Child care
Asked of participants who are married or living with a partner and/or participants with children, as applicable

Myself	58
My spouse/partner	43
My child(ren)	1

47. How satisfied or unsatisfied are you with the amount of housework done by your spouse or partner?
Asked of participants who are married or living with a partner

Very unsatisfied	10%
Somewhat unsatisfied	12%
Neither unsatisfied nor satisfied	18%
Somewhat satisfied	18%
Very satisfied	42%
Total Unsatisfied	22%
Total Satisfied	60%

48. How satisfied or unsatisfied are you with the amount of housework done by your children?
Asked of participants with children

Very unsatisfied	11%
Somewhat unsatisfied	18%
Neither unsatisfied nor satisfied	30%
Somewhat satisfied	20%
Very satisfied	20%
Total Unsatisfied	29%
Total Satisfied	40%

49. Have any of the following people you know been diagnosed with the coronavirus (COVID-19)?

	Yes	No	Maybe/Not sure
Someone in your household	14%	82%	4%
A family member you don't live with	43%	52%	6%
A friend or neighbor	49%	41%	9%
A coworker	30%	58%	13%

50. Have any of the following people you know died because of infection or complications from coronavirus (COVID-19)?

	Yes	No	Maybe/Not sure
Someone in your household	2%	96%	3%
A family member you don't live with	12%	84%	4%
A neighbor	7%	85%	8%
A friend	17%	78%	5%
A coworker	6%	85%	8%

51. Earlier we asked you about the strength of your marriage/relationship in the past two years. Consider now how the coronavirus pandemic has affected your marriage/relationship, and indicate how much you agree with the following statements.

Asked of those who are married or cohabiting

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Total Disagree	Total Agree
The coronavirus pandemic has made me appreciate my partner more.	4%	6%	36%	33%	21%	10%	54%
The coronavirus pandemic has deepened my commitment to my marriage/relationship.	5%	7%	46%	26%	16%	12%	42%
The coronavirus pandemic has increased stress in my marriage/relationship.	22%	25%	31%	18%	4%	47%	22%
The coronavirus pandemic has made me question the strength of my marriage/relationship.	34%	24%	30%	9%	3%	58%	12%

52. Evaluate the extent to which the response of each of the following groups or institutions to the coronavirus pandemic helped or did not help your family. A - Not helpful at all; B - Not very helpful; C - Neither helpful nor unhelpful; D - Slightly helpful; E - Very helpful; F - Helpful for some people, but not my family; G - Don't know/Not sure; H - Total Not Helpful; I - Total Helpful

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Churches or houses of worship	16%	6%	17%	13%	21%	9%	19%	22%	34%
Public schools	19%	7%	20%	11%	11%	8%	24%	26%	22%
Your employer	12%	5%	18%	13%	19%	3%	29%	17%	32%
Your neighbors	13%	5%	27%	18%	17%	3%	16%	19%	35%
News media	31%	11%	14%	17%	15%	2%	9%	42%	33%
Your state and local government	14%	11%	14%	27%	21%	4%	9%	25%	47%
The federal government	13%	10%	12%	31%	22%	4%	8%	23%	54%
Community or non-profit groups	13%	5%	20%	15%	15%	11%	20%	18%	30%

53. How would you rate the *current* level of tension between members of your household?

Asked of all respondents not living by themselves

Much less than average	16%
Less than average	16%
Same as average	55%
More than average	9%
Much more than average	4%
Total Less Than Average	32%
Total More Than Average	12%

54. Since March of 2020, how much conflict has occurred in your home about the following issues?

Asked of all respondents not living by themselves

	No conflict about the issue	Minor conflict about the issue	Significant conflict about the issue
School	59%	29%	12%
Household responsibilities	60%	31%	9%
Rules for children	64%	26%	10%
Covid restrictions / masking	74%	21%	5%
Vaccinations	77%	17%	7%
Politics	73%	20%	7%
Family finances	62%	28%	10%

55. What type of school does your [child's age] [child's gender] generally attend?

Asked of respondents with children

Public school	72%
Charter/Magnet school	5%
Private religious school	8%
Private non-religious school	2%
Home School	12%

56. How often did your [child's age] [child's gender] attending school in person over the last month of the school year?

Asked of respondents with children

Never, they completed school completely online	37%
Attended in-person a few times a week	23%
Attended in-person every day	40%

57. Why is your child not attending school in person full-time?

Asked of those with children who attended school in person never or a few days a week

The school is not offering a full-time option	34%
We had the option, but chose not to attend full-time	54%
Don't know	12%

58. How important is it to you that your [child's age] [child's gender]'s local school maintain the following measures for the long term future? A - Very important; B - Somewhat important; C - Neither; D - Somewhat unimportant; E - Very unimportant; F - Total Important; G - Total Unimportant

Asked of respondents with children

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Require students and teachers to wear masks whenever they don't feel well	40%	20%	18%	4%	18%	60%	22%
Limit the number of students in each classroom	37%	21%	20%	6%	15%	58%	21%
Mandate improvements in classroom ventilation	41%	24%	19%	6%	10%	65%	15%
Require students and teachers to be vaccinated for COVID-19	31%	13%	25%	5%	26%	44%	30%

59. How satisfied are you with each of the following aspects of your [child's age] [child's gender]'s school? A - Very satisfied; B - Satisfied; C - Neither; D - Dissatisfied; E - Very dissatisfied; F - Total Satisfied; G - Total Dissatisfied

Asked of respondents with children

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Teacher quality	31%	37%	23%	6%	3%	68%	9%
School discipline	26%	33%	30%	8%	3%	59%	10%
Expectations for student achievement	27%	40%	23%	6%	3%	68%	9%
Safety	30%	39%	24%	4%	3%	69%	7%
Instruction in character or values	27%	34%	31%	5%	4%	60%	8%
Racial and ethnic diversity of students	26%	34%	31%	6%	3%	60%	9%
Racial and ethnic diversity of teaching and administrative staff	26%	31%	32%	7%	4%	57%	10%
School building and facilities	28%	44%	22%	6%	1%	71%	7%
Extracurricular opportunities	25%	31%	31%	10%	3%	56%	13%
Communication from teachers and administrators	29%	37%	22%	8%	4%	66%	13%

60. General Education - Help with subjects

Asked of respondents with children

Mathematics	3
Reading/Writing	2
History/Social Studies	2
Science	2

61. Are your [child's age] [child's gender]'s grades better or worse compared to the time before March 2020?

Asked of respondents with children

Much better	11%
Slightly better	14%
The same	50%
Slightly worse	12%
Much worse	6%
Don't know	6%
Total Better	25%
Total Worse	19%

62. Compared to previous school years, do you feel your [child's age] [child's gender] is learning more or less?
Asked of respondents with children

Much more	9%
Somewhat more	13%
About the same	40%
Somewhat less	18%
Much less	12%
Don't know	7%
Total More	22%
Total Less	31%

63. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
Asked of respondents with children

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Total Agree	Total Disagree
The flexibility of online school was good for my family.	25%	23%	32%	9%	11%	47%	20%
My [child's age] [child's gender] had trouble staying socially connected with friends during this past school year.	19%	25%	25%	11%	19%	45%	30%
My [child's age] [child's gender] had more trouble than is typical establishing a relationship with his or her teacher.	12%	15%	37%	15%	22%	27%	37%
I was more involved as a parent in my [child's gender]'s education this past school year.	26%	22%	36%	10%	7%	48%	17%

64. Compared to before the pandemic, how is your [child's age] [child's gender]'s:

Asked of respondents with children

	Much worse	Somewhat worse	About the same	Somewhat better	Much better	Total Worse	Total Better
Physical Health	3%	11%	70%	8%	8%	14%	16%
Social Health	5%	20%	62%	7%	7%	24%	13%
Mental Health	6%	12%	66%	9%	7%	18%	15%
Emotional Health	5%	17%	63%	7%	7%	22%	15%

65. Returning to your family more generally, indicate how much you agree with each of the following statements, thinking about the time since coronavirus restrictions began in March of 2020. A - Strongly disagree; B - Disagree; C - Neither agree nor disagree; D - Agree; E - Strongly agree; F - Don't know/Not applicable; G - Total Disagree; H - Total Agree

Asked of respondents with children age 5-18

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
I am satisfied with the resources/curriculum my children's teachers have provided for them.	5%	11%	25%	37%	17%	5%	16%	54%
I have become more likely to consider homeschooling my kids in the future.	23%	15%	24%	16%	17%	6%	38%	32%
I feel as if I am failing as a parent.	29%	21%	23%	15%	9%	3%	50%	23%
I have struggled with being home with my children for longer periods of time.	26%	21%	23%	17%	8%	5%	47%	25%
My children have become more disobedient and difficult at home.	29%	27%	21%	13%	6%	3%	57%	18%
I feel closer to my children than I did before the pandemic.	4%	8%	37%	26%	21%	4%	12%	47%
I am struggling to balance home and work life.	20%	22%	27%	16%	9%	7%	41%	25%

66. People have different ideas about who is in their immediate family and who is in their extended family. How would you classify each of the following family members?

	Immediate family	Extended family	Not applicable
My adult sibling(s) and their spouse(s)	63%	20%	16%
My parents	68%	10%	22%
My spouse or partner's parents	47%	32%	21%
My nieces and nephews	29%	54%	18%
My grandchildren	38%	19%	42%
My aunts, uncles, and cousins	18%	68%	13%
My children	91%	4%	5%

67. Which statement best describes your relationship with your immediate family today as compared to before March 2020?

I feel closer to them	26%
I feel the same toward them	59%
I feel less close to them	8%
Don't know	7%

68. Which statement best describes your relationship with your extended family today as compared to before March 2020?

I feel closer to them	12%
I feel the same toward them	62%
I feel less close to them	18%
Don't know	9%

69. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Total Disagree	Total Agree
I will miss the time my family spent together during the pandemic.	7%	13%	53%	20%	7%	20%	28%
I am excited to return to pre-pandemic patterns of family life.	3%	6%	28%	37%	26%	9%	62%

70. Now thinking about your physical health since March 2020, have the following things increased, decreased or stayed the same?

	Increased	Stayed the same	Decreased
Frequency of exercise	20%	58%	22%
Your weight	34%	49%	17%
Feelings of sadness or depression	32%	59%	9%
Frequency of drinking alcohol	12%	68%	20%

71. Do you feel like you and your family have received the physical medical care you needed since March 2020?

Yes	54%
No	20%
My family did not need physical medical care	26%

72. Do you feel like you and your family have received the mental health care you needed since March 2020?

Yes	26%
No	23%
My family did not need mental health care	51%

73. Please indicate your family's current vaccination status.

	Vaccinated(including if currently between first and second doses)	Not vaccinated	Not applicable
Self	64%	31%	5%
Spouse or partner	39%	23%	37%
Eligible children	25%	23%	52%
Others that live in your household	22%	18%	60%

74. Why have you or your family members not been vaccinated? Check all that apply.

Asked of those who said they were not vaccinated

	Not vaccinated because time	Not vaccinated because side effects	Not vaccinated because making appointment	Not vaccinated because opposed to vaccines generally	Not vaccinated because opposed to COVID-19 vaccine
Self	9%	49%	6%	16%	48%
Spouse or partner	10%	39%	6%	16%	49%
Eligible children	10%	41%	6%	18%	43%
Others that live in your household	11%	41%	6%	20%	42%

75. Would you rather the government...

- Help families by giving money directly to the parents (e.g. tax breaks, child allowances, etc.) 20%
- Help families by spending money on programs and institutions (e.g. child care, schools, etc.) 13%
- Both 44%
- Neither 24%

76. If you had to choose, which one of these two options do you lean towards? Would you rather the government...

Asked of those who answered "both" or "neither" to Q75

- Help families by giving money directly to the parents (tax breaks, child allowances, etc.) . 60%
- Help families by spending money on programs and institutions (e.g. child care, schools, etc.) 40%

77. Would you rather the government... - (Combined from Q75 and Q76).

Asked of those who answered "both" or "neither" to Q76

- Help families by giving money directly to the parents (e.g. tax breaks, child allowances, etc.) 60%
- Help families by spending money on programs and institutions (e.g. child care, schools, etc.) 40%

78. As part of the Covid Relief Package passed by Congress in March 2021, families will receive a direct payment of up to \$300 per month for each child, starting in July. How strongly do you support this policy?

Strongly support	31%
Somewhat support	18%
Neither support nor oppose	21%
Somewhat oppose	10%
Strongly oppose	19%
Total Support	50%
Total Oppose	29%

79. Suppose that a policy of permanent government payments to parents was passed by Congress. How large do you think the annual benefit should be for each child?

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80. Suppose Congress passed a permanent benefit of \$3600 per child. Would you prefer parents receive monthly payments of \$300 per child, or one annual lump sum of \$3,600 per child?

Monthly payment	52%
Annual lump sum	18%
Don't know	30%

81. If the government were to pay parents \$300 a month or \$3,600 a year per child, how would that affect your desire to have a child in the next five years?
Asked of respondents age 18-50

It would increase	15%
It would decrease	6%
It would stay the same	64%
I don't know	15%

82. Suppose Congress passed a child benefit of \$3600. In order to receive the government payments, should a parent be required to work at least part time?
Asked of a random one-third sample of respondents

	Yes, a parent should be required to work in order to receive the benefit	No, a parent should not be required to work in order to receive the benefit	Don't Know
Two-parent families	58%	25%	18%
Single-parent families	45%	36%	19%

83. Suppose Congress passed a child benefit of \$3600. In order to receive the government payments, should a parent be required to work at least part time?

Asked of a random one-third sample of respondents

	Yes, a parent should be required to work in order to receive the benefit	No, a parent should not be required to work in order to receive the benefit	Don't Know
Two-parent families	56%	27%	17%
Single-parent families	41%	40%	19%

84. Suppose Congress passed a child benefit of \$3600. In order to receive the government payments, should a parent be required to work at least part time?

Asked of a random one-third sample of respondents

	Yes, a parent should be required to work in order to receive the benefit	No, a parent should not be required to work in order to receive the benefit	Don't Know
Two-parent families	58%	25%	17%
Single-parent families	40%	38%	21%

85. If the government were to create permanent payments to parents, how should it pay for this? Check all that apply.

How to pay - Cut programs	19%
How to pay - Eliminate tax credit	21%
How to pay - Raise taxes on wealthy	48%
How to pay - Raise taxes on everyone	7%
How to pay - Raise taxes on businesses	26%
How to pay - Increase government debt	7%
How to pay - None of the above	26%

86. If the government were to implement payments to parents, at what household income level should this benefit to families phase out?

\$25,000	15%
\$50,000	17%
\$75,000	19%
\$100,000	17%
\$200,000	9%
\$400,000	4%
All parents should be eligible, regardless of income	18%

87. Would you support or oppose the federal government introducing the following policies?

	Strongly support	Somewhat support	Neither support nor oppose	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	Total Support	Total Oppose
Guaranteeing two years of free community college	39%	17%	16%	7%	21%	56%	28%
Guaranteeing two years of free preschool for children age 3-4	43%	18%	17%	5%	16%	62%	21%
Requiring employers to offer 12 weeks of paid family leave per year	35%	16%	21%	10%	18%	51%	28%

88. In the last year, how often have you spoken with your [child's age] [child's gender] about racial injustice in the United States?

Asked of all respondents with children

Frequently	30%
Occasionally	42%
Never	28%

89. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? Black families in America face obstacles that white families do not.

Strongly agree	37%
Somewhat agree	20%
Neither agree nor disagree	16%
Somewhat disagree	9%
Strongly disagree	18%
Total Agree	57%
Total Disagree	27%

90. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? [Asian families in America face obstacles that white families do not. | Hispanic families in America face obstacles that white families do not. | Hispanic families in America face obstacles that Black families do not. | Black families in America face obstacles that Hispanic families do not.]

Strongly agree	21%
Somewhat agree	24%
Neither agree nor disagree	25%
Somewhat disagree	11%
Strongly disagree	19%
Total Agree	45%
Total Disagree	30%

91. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? - Asian families in America face obstacles that white families do not.

Asked of a random one-fourth sample of respondents

Strongly agree	23%
Somewhat agree	29%
Neither agree nor disagree	20%
Somewhat disagree	12%
Strongly disagree	17%
Total Agree	51%
Total Disagree	29%

92. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? - Black families in America face obstacles that Hispanic families do not.

Asked of a random one-fourth sample of respondents

Strongly agree	17%
Somewhat agree	25%
Neither agree nor disagree	27%
Somewhat disagree	13%
Strongly disagree	19%
Total Agree	41%
Total Disagree	32%

93. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? - Hispanic families in America face obstacles that Black families do not.

Asked of a random one-fourth sample of respondents

Strongly agree	17%
Somewhat agree	27%
Neither agree nor disagree	28%
Somewhat disagree	10%
Strongly disagree	18%
Total Agree	44%
Total Disagree	28%

94. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? - Hispanic families in America face obstacles that white families do not.

Asked of a random one-fourth sample of respondents

Strongly agree	28%
Somewhat agree	23%
Neither agree nor disagree	20%
Somewhat disagree	11%
Strongly disagree	18%
Total Agree	51%
Total Disagree	29%

95. In the past year, have you had a conversation about any of the following issues with a member of your household? Please select all that apply.

Conversations - Police discriminate by race	43%
Conversations - Police keep communities safe	42%
Conversations - How to stay safe	30%
Conversations - None of the above	36%

96. Do you agree or disagree with the following: Racial discrimination is an obstacle to my family in terms of...

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Total Agree	Total Disagree
Access to good education	11%	10%	29%	8%	42%	21%	50%
Social relationships	9%	11%	31%	9%	40%	20%	49%
Attention and care from medical professionals	11%	9%	28%	9%	43%	20%	52%
Access to good housing	12%	10%	28%	8%	42%	21%	50%

97. How much do you worry about race relations in the United States?

A great deal	28%
A fair amount	30%
A little	22%
Not at all	21%

98. In thinking about your interaction with the police, have you or someone in your family ever:

	Me	Family member	Has not happened
Been stopped by the police for any reason?	61%	46%	24%
Been arrested?	20%	30%	58%
Been the victim of a crime?	36%	31%	49%
Called the police for help?	41%	35%	42%
Been helped by the police?	45%	35%	40%

99. How much do you agree with the following statement:

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Total Agree	Total Disagree
Schools should teach that there has been significant progress towards racial equality in the United States.	24%	30%	31%	8%	8%	54%	16%
Schools should teach about the history of racism in the United States.	38%	24%	19%	6%	13%	61%	19%

100. Do you think schools today spend too much, the right amount, or too little time teaching about racial issues in the United States?

Too much	29%
The right amount	24%
Too little	46%

101. In the last five years, have you: (Check all that apply)

Interactions - Served as reference	16%
Interactions - Arranged playdate	13%
Interactions - Hosted in home	35%
Interactions - None of the above	56%

102. Consensual polyamory is when someone has romantic relationships with two or more individuals and all people involved consent. How comfortable are you with consensual polyamory in general?

Very uncomfortable	37%
Somewhat uncomfortable	12%
Neither comfortable or uncomfortable	31%
Somewhat comfortable	9%
Very comfortable	12%
Total Uncomfortable	49%
Total Comfortable	21%

103. For each of the following family members, please identify whether you have had a conversation in the last year about government or politics with at least one person who would fit in the category.

	Yes, we have talked about politics in the last year	No, we have not talked about politics in the last year	Not applicable
My adult sibling(s) or their spouse(s)	56%	22%	22%
My parents	44%	16%	40%
My spouse or partner's parents	47%	20%	33%
My grandchildren	12%	19%	69%
My aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, or cousins	34%	39%	27%
My children	66%	19%	14%

104. For the next few questions, please think about one specific person who is your selected relationship

Almost never	13%
Every few months	27%
Once a month	14%
Every few weeks	18%
Once a week	9%
A few times per week	14%
Every day	5%

105. Do you ever intentionally change the subject or avoid talking about politics with your selected relationship?

Yes, often	9%
Yes, sometimes	20%
Yes, but not very often	17%
No, never	54%

106. On average, how would you describe your selected relationship's political views?

A lot more conservative than me	11%
A little more conservative than me	15%
About the same as me	56%
A little more liberal than me	11%
A lot more liberal than me	7%
Total More Conservative	26%
Total More Liberal	18%

107. When you talk about politics with your selected relationship, is it generally...

Stressful and frustrating	26%
Interesting and informative	74%

108. How many sexual partners have you had in the previous two years?

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109. In an average weekday, how many hours are you **solely** responsible for the care of your children?

Asked of people with children at home.

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